# Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

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The Commission's policy is to schedule hearings (meetings, workshops, etc.) in locations that are accessible to people with disabilities. Please see the *Notice to People With Disabilities* section on page two of this Daily Calendar for further information.

### REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

February 15, 2001 *	1:30 pm	San Francisco
February 22, 2001	10 am	San Francisco
March 15, 2001	10 am	San Francisco
March 27, 2001	10 am	San Francisco

<sup>\*</sup> Continuation Meeting from the February 8, 2001 Commission Meeting

### COMMISSION RATESETTING DELIBERATIVE MEETINGS

(Not Open to the Public)

Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting dates are reserved as noted but will only be held if there are ratesetting matters to be considered.

February 20, 2001	1:30 pm	San Francisco
March 12, 2001	1:30 pm	San Francisco
March 22, 2001	1:30 pm	San Francisco

### NOTICE TO PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

The CPUC encourages all Californians to participate in its meetings, hearings, workshops, and proceedings. We try to hold our public meetings only in places that are wheelchair accessible and which can accommodate specialized equipment and other services useful to people with disabilities. Please see the notice of the meeting you wish to attend for more specifics (also posted in the Daily Calendar on the CPUC website).

If you plan to attend and need specialized accommodations for a particular meeting that are not listed in the notice, request them from the Public Advisor's Office <u>at least three</u> <u>business days in advance of the meeting</u>. Contact the Public Advisor's Office by any one of the following:

• e-mail: <a href="mailto:public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov">public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov</a>

Voice: 415-703-2074

FAX: 415-703-1758 (Attn: Public Advisor)

• TTY: 1-866-836-7825 (toll-free)

• 1-415-703-5282

### **NOTICES**

## **Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing**

Unless otherwise directed, all courier-delivered documents submitted for filing as part of the formal record in a proceeding should be hand-carried directly to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco; Suite 500, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Los Angeles; or Room 4006, 1350 Front Street in San Diego. All documents sent through the mail for formal filing should be addressed ONLY to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

## **Charge for Commission Documents**

To purchase Commission documents, there is a charge of 20 cents a printed page (postage prepaid) with a minimum purchase of \$2.00.

## Commission Resources Available for Rental

The auditorium, hearing rooms and training room at the headquarters of the California Public Utilities Commission, located at 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, are available for rent. Further information about requirements and fees can be obtained by contacting Colette Kondo at (415) 703-1401.

### SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

### Subscription Notice for Draft Agenda Items

In compliance with Public Utilities Code Section 311.5, parties who wish to subscribe to receive draft agenda items may do so by writing to the Public Utilities Commission; Attention: Poly Arca, Room 1003, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102, or by calling (415) 703-1798. The cost for a one-year subscription to the entire public agenda package (which excludes Executive Session materials) is \$1,000. You may also order a partial agenda package (energy agenda items only or telecommunication agenda items only) at the cost of \$500 per year. The package you receive via mail will include only those agenda items available at the time of the agenda distribution date, which is usually 10 to 12 days prior to the Commission meeting. If agenda items (including revisions) are not ready on the distribution date, they will be made available at no charge in the lobby outside the Commission Auditorium at 9:00 a.m. on the morning of the Commission meeting, but not earlier.

In addition, the Commission will make draft agenda items available for viewing and photocopying (at 20 cents per page) at the Commission's Central Files Office (Room 2002), 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, and in the Los Angeles, San Diego, and Sacramento field offices. Since the agenda package will be mailed to these locations, it will be available at these locations a day or two after the distribution date. These locations will not receive agenda items that are not ready on the distribution date.

If an agenda item is held over to a subsequent Commission meeting, that agenda item and any revisions to that agenda item that were available on the morning of the initial Commission meeting (as well as any further available revisions) will be mailed in the Escutia package for the subsequent Commission meeting; the item and its revisions will also be available for viewing and photocopying in the Commission's Central Files Office and field offices as set forth above.

Intervenors who have a financial hardship determination pending or granted shall be eligible to receive draft agenda item packets at no charge.

The cost to receive the agenda only, without copies of draft agenda items, remains at \$75 per year.

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### **COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

### **NONE**

### **PUBLIC MEETING & WORKSHOPS**

## **Public Input Workshops Notice**

California Alternate Energy Rates	Energy Resource Center
(CARE) Application Review	9240 East Firestone Boulevard
February 13, 2001	Downey
10 am – 12 pm	
California Alternate Energy Rates	Pacific Energy Center
(CARE) Application Review	851 Howard Street
February 14, 2001	San Francisco
10 am – 12 pm	

Pursuant to the September 7, 2000 Commission Decision (D.) 00-09-036, the Public Utilities Commission's Energy Division will hold two public workshops to facilitate public input on the Joint Utilities' Proposal to standardize their CARE application forms to request the same types and categories of data from all customers enrolling in the CARE program. The utility forms will be filed by Advice Letter with the Commission on March 1, 2001.

Applications will be distributed for review at the time of the meeting. Both workshops are forums for public input into the utilities' proposals. If you are not on the service list for R.98-07-037 you may obtain a copy of this proposal by contacting:

Jeff Beresini at (415) 973-2931 (JLBD@pge.com) or Sharon Lee-Balderas at (213) 244-4104 (SLEE-BALDERAS@socalgas.com)

If you cannot attend the workshop and would like to provide written comments on the utility CARE applications that may be incorporated into the workshop discussions, those comments need to be received by 4PM on February 9, 2001 and should be mailed to: Donna Wagoner, CPUC, Energy Division, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor

505 Van Ness Avenue

San Francisco, CA 94102

<u>Teleconference Information</u>: Conference call capabilities will be provided on February 13, 2001 at 10:00AM by calling 1-800-966-6502 (Conference ID#01-220894). Conference call capabilities will be provided on February 14, 2001 at 10:00AM by calling 1-877-842-5646 (passcode #81198).

These locations are wheelchair accessible. The meetings are open to the public. Questions regarding the workshop should be addressed to Donna Wagoner of the Energy Division at (415) 703-3175 (dlw@cpuc.ca.gov).

# Workshop Notice/Public Meeting

February 15, 2001	California Public Utilities Commission
1:30 - 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3204
	(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister)
	San Francisco

The Universal Lifeline Telephone Service (ULTS) Administrative Committee will meet to address the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Telephone Claims, Public Comments, Review/Approve ULTS/ULTSMB Expenses and Authorize Administrative Transfer, Review/Acceptance of Amervest Report, PUC Report and Action Items, Annual Audit Request, SB 669 Transition Plan Update, FY2001 – 2002 Budget, G.O. 153 Implementation, Review and Approve Administrative Report, ULTSMB Update, Carrier Audit Update, Carrier Audit Collaboration, Election of Officers, Set Agenda Items for Future Meetings, and Hear Public Comments.

This meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated for public comments and each speaker. If you would like to receive an agenda or meeting packet, please notify the ULTS Trust office at (510) 452-2757 or e-mail ultstrust@msn.com.

## **Public Meeting**

February 16, 2001	One Crow Canyon Court, Suite 110
10:30 am - 12 pm	San Ramon

The TDD Placement Interim Committee (TPIC) will conduct a meeting. For more information or directions to the meeting, please contact PSPE at (925) 855-3890.

The PSPE Committee will meet to discuss the following topics:

1) Meeting Overview -- Committee Chairperson; 2) Minutes from July 11, 2000 TPIC Meeting; 3) Staff Reports -- Financials, Staffing, etc.; 4) Update on Contracts; 5) Voting on site applications; 6) Public Input; and 7) Future Agenda Items.

ASL Interpreters will be present at this meeting. If you have any questions, or for

directions, please contact Douglas J. Kruse. Phone: (925) 838-4029; Fax: (925) 855-3888; TYY: (925) 855-3883.

# <u>Public Meeting Notice - Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</u>

California Relay Service Advisory	DDTP Offices
Committee (CRSAC) Interview	505 14 <sup>th</sup> Street
Subcommittee	Suite 400, Conference Room
February 16, 2001	Oakland
1 – 6 pm	

The California Relay Service Advisory Committee Interview Subcommittee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting to address the following:

I.) Interviews of Nominees for the Hearing Community Seat on the California Relay Service Advisory Committee. II.) Public Input.

# **DDTP Meeting Information:**

For more information, please contact Laine Proctor, DDTP Committee Coordinator at (510) 302-1100 ext. 109 voice or (510) 302-1117 TTY.

## **Environmental Notice:**

People with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivities must reduce their exposure in order to attend this meeting. Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

# Public Input Workshop Notice

Bill of Rights for Participants in Low	San Diego Gas and Electric
Income Energy Assistance Programs	101 Ash Street
February 20, 2001	San Diego
9:30 am – 11:30 am	

Pursuant to the September 7, 2000 Commission Decision (D.) 00-09-036, the Public Utilities Commission's Energy Division will hold a public workshop to facilitate public input on the Joint Utility Proposal for a Bill of Rights for participants in low-income energy assistance programs that will be filed with the Commission by the Joint Utilities, no later than April, 16, 2001.

RER, the consultant on this project, will distribute a Customer Bill of Rights proposal to all persons on the R.98-07-037 service list on February 9, 2001. The workshop is a forum for public input into the utilities' proposal. If you are not on the service list for R.98-07-037 you may obtain a copy of this proposal by contacting: Angela Nenn, of RER at (858) 481-0081 (angela@rer.com).

If you cannot attend the workshop and would like to provide written comments on the utility proposal that may be incorporated into the workshop discussions, those comments need to be received by 4PM on February 16, 2001 and should be mail to:

Stephen Rutledge, CPUC, Energy Division, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor

505 Van Ness Avenue

San Francisco, CA 94102

**Teleconference Information:** The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use

this option, please call: 1-888-452-3494. After hearing the prompt, enter the access code (22726) followed by the pound sign (#). This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. Questions regarding the workshop should be addressed to Stephen Rutledge of the Energy Division at (415) 703-1809 (sjr@cpuc.ca.gov) or Donna Wagoner of the Energy Division at (415) 703-3175 (dlw@cpuc.ca.gov).

# Workshop Notice/Public Meeting

February 21, 2001	California Public Utilities Commission
9 am - 3:30 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2204
	(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister)
	San Francisco

The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to discuss the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Ratify meeting information and decisions from February 5-7 meeting, Discussion of ULTSMB Interim Marketing and Outreach Activities, Discuss How to Solicit Community Participation in ULTSMB Outreach, Call Center Solicitation Update, Select Chair and Vice Chair for 2001, Continue Discussion of Board Vacancy and Non-reappointment of Expiring Positions, Discuss ULTSMB Activities and Timeline for 2001, CPUC Staff Report and Action Items, SB 669 Transition Plan Update, Review/Approve Petition to Modify D. 97-12-105, Review and Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, Review and Approve ULTSMB Expenses, Review ULTSMB Correspondences, Discuss Bidders Conference, Meet with Market Research Contractor, Develop Long Term ULTS Marketing Strategic Plan, Announcements, Set Future Agenda Items, and Hear Public Comments.

The general meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated to public comments and each speaker. If you would like to receive an agenda or full meeting packet, please notify the ULTS Trust Office at (510) 452-2757.

# <u>Energy Efficiency - California Measurement Advisory Committee (CALMAC)</u> Workshop Notice

February 21, 2001	Pacific Energy Center	
10 am − 3 pm	851 Howard Street	
-	San Francisco	
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Pursuant to Decision 01-01-060, CALMAC will hold a public workshop to discuss and review proposed 2001 utility-specific and California Energy Commission (CEC) Market Assessment and Evaluation (MA&E) studies. If you have any questions regarding this workshop, please call Marylou Sutton at (415) 973-2651 or send an e-mail to <a href="mailto:mls9@pge.com">mls9@pge.com</a>. Meeting participation is open to the public and the conference room is wheelchair accessible.

**PUBLIC MEETING** 

LOTTERY FOR TELEPHONE NUMBER PREFIX ASSIGNMENTS IN THE 209, 310, 323, 408, 415, 510, 530, 559, 619, 650, 707, 714, 760, 805, 818, 909, 916, 925 AND 949 NUMBERING PLAN AREAS

Lottery begins at 1:30 PM

February 21, 2001 Training Room California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco

The Telecommunications Division of the California Public Utilities Commission will be conducting a lottery to determine allocations of central office codes (NXXs) in the 209, 310, 323, 408, 415, 510, 530, 559, 619, 650, 707, 714, 760, 805, 818, 909, 916, 925 and 949 area codes pursuant to the provisions of D.96-09-087. Applications should be submitted to the California Code Administrator prior to the close of business on February 13, 2001. All companies applying for central office codes must have their Jeopardy COCUS (Central Office Code Utilization Survey) on file with the California Code Administrator. For information on the Jeopardy COCUS filing, call (925) 363-8736. For information on the lottery process, call (415) 703-3473. If specialized accommodations for the disabled are needed, call the Public Advisor at (415) 703-2032 five working days in advance of the event. Companies, who wish to have a sealed envelope prepared for them on an ongoing basis containing their confidential letter designations for each NPA lottery drawing, should submit such a request in writing. Requests should be submitted prior to the close of business on February 13, 2001 to: Lorann King, Telecommunications Division, California Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

## <u>Public Meeting Notice - Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program</u>

Deaf and Disabled	DDTP Offices
Telecommunications Program	505 14 <sup>th</sup> Street
Administrative Committee	Suite 400, Conference Room
(DDTPAC) Meeting	Oakland
February 21, 2001	
2-5 pm	
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The Administrative Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting to address the following:

### **CLOSED SESSION**

I.) Per Section 11126 (e)(1) of the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act, the DDTPAC will meet in closed session to confer with legal counsel regarding contractual issues related to the California Relay Service, specifically to discuss an appropriate reimbursement rate for CRS providers not complying with the new FCC TRS standards.

The DDTPAC Chairman will report in open session on actions taken in the closed session. II.) Public Input.

For additional information, please call Laine Proctor, DDTP Committee Coordinator, (510) 302-1100 VOICE / (510) 302-1101 TTY. If you plan to attend the meeting and need sign language interpreters or other special communication accommodations, please call the

DDTP office at least five days prior to the meeting date.

# **ENVIRONMENTAL REMINDER:**

People with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivity must reduce their exposure in order to attend this meeting. Please refrain form wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

# NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS (Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))

## **NONE**

		NEW FILINGS
2/8/01	C01-02-010	<b>ECP</b> - Lenoria L. Piggee vs. Verizon Wireless for return of \$1,135.51 paid by the Complainant
PETITIO	NS FOR MODIFIC	CATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING
2/8/01	A00-11-038	Southern California Edison Company, for authority to institute a rate stabilization plan with a rate increase and end of rate freeze tariffs.
	A00-11-056	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for emergency application to adopt a rate stabilization plan.
	A00-10-028	The Utility Reform Network, for Modification of Resolution E-3527; Joint Petition for Modification of D01-01-061 by Southern California Edison Company and Pacific Gas and Electric Company
2/9/01	A00-10-029	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, (1) to issue, sell and deliver one or more series of its First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds, debentures, subordinated deferrable interest debentures, promissory notes and/or other evidences of indebtedness in connection with domestic or Euro-market offerings, to guarantee the obligations of others in respect of the issuance of securities and to arrange for standby letters of credit as performance guarantees, the total aggregate principal amount of such issuance and guarantees not to exceed \$2 billion; (2) to enter into one or more interest rate caps, collars and

swaps; (3) to issue variable rate debt (including fixed rate debt swapped to a variable rate) to finance balancing account undercollections; and (4) for an exemption from the Competitive Bidding Rule.

Petition for Modification of Decision No.01-01-062 on an emergency basis by Pacific Gas and Electric Company

# DRAFT DECISIONS \* PROPOSED DECISIONS \* ALTERNATES \* PRESIDING OFFICER'S DECISION \* ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS

2/13/01	A.00-04-023	In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company (U 210 W) for an Order Authorizing It to Increase Its Rates for Water Service in Its Los Angeles Division to Increase Revenues by \$1,938,500 in the Year 2001; \$782,100 in the Year 2002; and \$642,800 in the Year 2003; <b>Proposed Decision of</b>
		ALJ O'Donnell

### ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

To inquire about a filing, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1889) or Water Division (703-2028).

To protest a filing, mail the original letter/telegram to the Chief of the appropriate division (i.e., "Chief, [Energy, Telecommunications or Water] Division"), to be received no later than 20 days after the date the Advice Letter was filed.

"Effective TBD" means that the date is to be determined by further Commission action. A date listed as "anticipated effective" may be subject to change. An Advice Letter Supplement is not a new filing, and there is no protest period unless indicated.

02/01/01	Telecom 47	RCN TELECOM SERVICES, INC., Update taxes and surcharges rate. (effective TBD)
02/05/01	Telecom 85	PAC-WEST TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC., Update surcharge rates. (effective TBD)
02/09/01	Energy C-39G	AVISTA CORPORATION, Request for increase in natural gas revenue. (anticipated effective 03/31/01)
02/09/01	Telecom 21602	PACIFIC BELL, Revises tariff Schedule A2 General Regulations, Table of Contents, to update and make minor

		corrections for clarity. (effective TBD)
02/09/01	Telecom 21603	PACIFIC BELL, Express contract for DDD-VPP, Custom 8 and Zone 3 Measured Usage service. (effective TBD)
02/09/01	Telecom 567	ROSEVILLE TELEPHONE COMPANY, Express contract -DID. (effective TBD)

### **ADVICE LETTER PROTESTS**

To inquire about a protest, call the Energy Division (703-1093), Telecommunications Division (703-1889) or Water Division (703-2028). To obtain a copy of the protest, please direct your request to the protestor.

### **NONE**

### MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

Filings with Rail Safety and Carriers Division

## **NONE**

### MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

### **NONE**

### TABLE OF SUBMISSION DATES FOR THE PRECEDING TWO WEEKS

1/17/01	C.00-01-017	Vieth – Robert Hambly et al. vs. Hillsboro Properties
		and City of Novato.

### ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* SUBMISSIONS

R.93-04-003 Jones – Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and

I.93-04-002 (Permanent Line Sharing Phase)	establish a framework for network architecture development of dominant carrier networks,  Jones – Investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks,  Prehearing Conference held and no report given
A.99-11-025	Cooke – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the construction of the Tri Valley 2002 capacity increase project, Public Participation Hearing held and continued to February 15
I.00-05-020	DeUlloa – Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the status, rates, rules, operations, service, facilities, contracts, and practices of the Union Pacific Railroad Company in the supply, distribution, and sale of water by the Keene Water System to the communities of Keene and Woodford in Kern County, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to February 14
A.00-11-038	DeUlloa – Application of Southern California Edison Company (E 3338-E) for authority to institute a rate stabilization plan with a rate increase and end of rate freeze tariffs,
A.00-11-056	DeUlloa – Emergency application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to adopt a rate stabilization plan,
A.00-10-028	DeUlloa – Petition of The Utility Reform Network for modification of Resolution E-3527, <b>Workshop held and no report given</b>

# REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

# **NONE**

# **NEW SETTINGS**

2/21/01 9:00 a.m. **(EH)** – Order instituting rulemaking into the operation

ALJ Mattson R.00-10-002 Comr Wood	of interruptible load programs offered by Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, and Southern California Edison Company and the effect of these programs on energy prices, other demand responsiveness programs, and the reliability of the electric system, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
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### LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judge Victor Ryerson at 10:00 a.m. in one of the Commission's San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045.

1/30/01	10:00 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
2/6/01	10:00 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
2/13/01	10:00 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED

# FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS

### **NONE**

### **HEARINGS**

Dates in parentheses following the word "also" are subject to change without notice. The assigned Commissioner's name is listed next to the proceedings as matter of record; the assigned Commissioner may not be present at the hearing.

(PHC) = Prehearing Conference	(FOA) = Final Oral Argument
(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing	(WS) = Workshop
(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing	(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing
(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting	(AH) = Arbitration Hearing
(M) = Mediation	(CA) = Closing Argument

2/14/01 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Wood	9:00 a.m. I.00-05-020	(EH) – Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the status, rates, rules, operations, service, facilities, contracts, and practices of the Union Pacific Railroad Company in the supply, distribution, and sale of water by the Keene Water System to the communities of Keene and Woodford in Kern County, Employment Development Department Building Citrus Room 1924 "Q" Street Bakersfield, CA) (also February 15 – 16, 2001 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
2/14/01 ALJ Brown Comr Wood	11:00 a.m. A.00-07-055	(PUBLIC HEARING) – In the matter of the application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) for authority to provide customers with real-time energy meters,  Auditorium #2, Sempra Energy Headquarters 101 Ash Street San Diego, CA
2/14/01 ALJ Barnett	11:00 a.m. C.00-12-047	(ECP - TELEPHONIC) – D.C.Logan vs. Pacific Bell, Commission Room 5008, San Francisco
2/15/01 ALJ Cooke Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.99-11-025	(PHC) – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the construction of the Tri Valley 2002 capacity increase project, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) February 20 – March 2; also (CA) March 6 at 1:30 p.m.)
2/15/01 ALJ Cooke Comr Bilas	7:00 p.m. A.99-11-025	(PPH) – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the construction of the Tri Valley 2002 capacity increase project, Dublin Elementary School Multi-Purpose Room 7997 Vomac Road Dublin, CA
2/15/01	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) – Compliance application of Pacific Gas and

ALJ Gottstein Comr Wood	A.00-11-009 A.00-11-011	Electric Company for approval of year 2001 low income programs, in compliance with Ordering Paragraph 4 of Decision 00-09-036 (U 39 M), (PHC) – Application of Southern California Gas Company (U 904-G) for authority to continue low income assistance programs and funding through
	A.00-11-012	2001, (PHC) – Application of San Diego Gas and Electric Company (U 902-E) for authority to continue low income assistance programs and funding through 2001,
	A.00-11-020	( <b>PHC</b> ) – Southern California Edison Company compliance application for approval of year 2001 low income program plans,
	R.98-07-037	(PHC) – Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's proposed policies and programs governing energy efficiency, low income assistance, renewable energy and research, development and demonstration,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
		Note: Joint PHC regarding PY2001 compliance
		and PY2002 planning for income assistance programs
2/15/01 ALJ Ryerson	1:30 p.m. C.00-11-024	
2/15/01 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. C.00-11-024	programs
ALJ Ryerson		programs  (PHC) – Dr. C. W. Lee vs. Pacific Bell,  Council Chambers, City Hall 701 East Carson Street Carson, CA  (PHC) – Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) for an Order Implementing
ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque 2/16/01	C.00-11-024 10:00 a.m.	programs  (PHC) – Dr. C. W. Lee vs. Pacific Bell,  Council Chambers, City Hall 701 East Carson Street Carson, CA  (PHC) – Application of San Diego Gas & Electric

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Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles State Office Building 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street Los Angeles, CA

2/16/01	11:00 a.m.
ALJ Barnett	A.00-11-007
Comr Lynch	

(PHC) – In the matter of the application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for authority to make various electric rate design changes, close certain rates and revise cost allocation among customer classes effective August 1, 2001 (U 902-E),

## **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

2/20/01	10:00 a.m.
ALJ O'Donnell	A.00-07-040
Comr Wood	

(EH) – In the matter of the application of Southern California Gas Company for authority to discontinue new installations of earthquake valves on its facilities, and to recover the costs of inspecting earthquake valves already installed,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 21 – 23 at 9:30 a.m.)

2/20/01	10:00 a.m.
ALJ Walwyn	A.00-11-038
ALJ Minkin	
Comr Lynch	

**(EH)** – Application of Southern California Edison Company (E 3338-E) for authority to institute a rate stabilization plan with a rate increase and end of rate freeze tariffs,

A.00-11-056

(EH) – Emergency application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to adopt a rate stabilization plan, (EH) – Partition of The Hillity Reform Network for

A.00-10-028

**(EH)** – Petition of The Utility Reform Network for modification of Resolution E-3527,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 21 - 23; also (CA) February 23; also (FOA) March 26)

2/21/01	10:00 a.m.
ALJ Thomas	A.00-02-039
Comr Lynch	(Second Phase)

(PHC) – Application of Metromedia Fiber Network Services, Inc. (U-6030-C) for modification of its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to comply with the California Environmental Quality Act,

### Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

2/21/01	9:00 a.m.
ALJ Mattson	R.00-10-002
Comr Wood	

(EH) – Order instituting rulemaking into the operation of interruptible load programs offered by Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, and Southern California Edison Company and the effect of these programs on energy prices,

California Pul	olic Utilities Commi	ssion wea	nesday, February 14, 2001
		other demand responsivenes reliability of the electric syst <b>Commission Courtroom, S</b>	tem,
2/22/01 ALJ Mattson Comr Wood	7:00 p.m. R.00-10-002	( <b>PPH</b> ) – Order instituting rulemaking into the operation of interruptible load programs offered by Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, and Southern California Edison Company and the effect of these programs on energy prices, other demand responsiveness programs, and the reliability of the electric system,	
		Commission Auditorium State Office Building 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA	
	February 26, 2001 7:00 p.m.		Auditorium, Room B-109 San Diego State Building 1350 Front Street San Diego, CA
	February 27, 2001 7:00 p.m.		Council Chambers City Hall 20 Civic Center Plaza Santa Ana, CA
	February 28, 2001 7:00 p.m.		Council Chambers San Bernardino City Hall 300 North "D" Street San Bernardino, CA
	March 1, 2001 7:00 p.m.		Auditorium, Room 1036 State Office Building 2550 Mariposa Mall Fresno, CA
2/23/01 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.95-06-002	(PHC) – In the matter of the application of Southern California Gas Company (U 904 G) to adopt performance based regulation ("PBR") for base rates, to be effective January 1, 1997, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco	
2/23/01 ALJ Walker	10:00 a.m. A.00-12-014	(PHC) – Application of the LLC to sell, and of the Sono	

Comr Duque		Company, LLC to buy, the water system located at and around 1651 Warm Springs Road, Glen Ellen, CA, near the Community of Kenwood, County of Sonoma, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
2/26/01 ALJ Econome Comr Wood	9:30 a.m. C.00-08-053	(PHC) – The Office of Ratepayer Advocates vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company (U 1001 C), Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) February 26, 2001 at 11:00 a.m.; February 27 – March 2 if necessary)
3/5/01 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.95-03-057	Bennett – Paula Karrison, an individual vs. A & P Moving, Inc., Commission Offices 707 "L" Street, Suite 1050 Sacramento, CA (also March 6 – 7)
3/5/01 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Duque	9:30 a.m. A.00-09-009	(EH) – In the matter of the application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the Palos Verdes District and establishing the "Base Year 2000" revenue requirements,
	A.00-09-010	(EH) – In the matter of the application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the Bakersfield district,
	A.00-09-011	(EH) – In the matter of the application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order establishing "Base Year 2000" revenue requirements for water service in the Hermosa-Redondo District and the general office operations,
	A.00-09-012	(EH) – In the matter of the application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the South San Francisco District, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 6 – 9)
3/5/01 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. A.00-09-048	(PPH) – In the matter of the application of Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) for authority to establish a lifeline rate for residential domestic water service in Region III, Church of the Valley

# 20700 Standing Rock Road Apple Valley, CA

	March 6, 2001 2:00 p.m. to 4:00	p.m.	State Office Building Multi-purpose Room 320 West 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Los Angeles, CA
3/6/01 ALJ Barnett Comr Wood	2:00 p.m. C.01-01-029 3:00 p.m. C.01-01-032 3:30 p.m. C.01-01-051	(PHC) Enron Energy Service Marketing Corp.vs. Souther Company, (PHC) – Enron Energy Service Energy Marketing Corp. vs. Company, (PHC) – APS Energy Services. Pacific Gas and Electrice Commission Courtroom, Services.	rn California Edison vices, Inc. and Enron Pacific Gas and Electric ces Company, Inc. Company,
3/7/01 ALJ Patrick Comr Duque	11:00 a.m. R.92-03-050	(PHC) – Order instituting r Commission's own motion rules of electric and gas util Commission Courtroom, S	to consider line extension ities,
3/7/01 ALJ Prestidge Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. I.00-09-003	(TELEPHONIC PHC) – I instituting investigation on motion into the operations a Unikov and Isay Radomyse business as Ace of Bace Mc Commission Courtroom, S	the Commission's own and practices of Igor lsky, a partnership doing oving Company,
		(also (EH) March 14 and 2 Commission Courtroom, I State Office Building 320 West 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Los Angeles, CA	
3/9/01 ALJ Barnett	2:00 p.m. C.01-01-047	(ECP) – F.S. Orsay vs. Pac Company, Commission Courtroom, I State Office Building 320 West 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Los Angeles, CA	-
3/12/01 ALJ Jones	9:00 a.m. A.01-01-010	( <b>AH</b> ) – Application by Paci Company (U 1001 C) for an	<u>-</u>

Comr Wood		interconnection agreement with MCImetro Access Transmission Services, L.L.C. (U 5253 C) pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 13 – 16; March 19 – 23; March 26 – 27)
3/14/01 ALJ Ryerson Comr Duque	6:00 p.m. I.97-07-018	(PPH) – Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations, practices, rates and charges of the Hillview Water Company, Inc., a corporation, and Roger L. Forrester, the principal shareholder and president,  Oakhurst Community Center  39800 Road 425B  Oakhurst, CA
		(also (EH) March 20 – 22 at 10:00 a.m.)
3/14/01 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	1:30 p.m. A.00-11-053	(PHC) – Application of Del Oro Water Co., Inc. (U-61-W) for a determination by the Commission that certain main extension agreements between itself and others are neither invalid nor fail to comply with the Utility's Rule 15 and/or the Commission's decisions, rules, and regulations pertaining to water main extension agreements,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/14/01 ALJ Brown Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. R.01-01-001	(PHC) – Order instituting rulemaking to review the affiliate transaction rules, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/21/01 ALJ Walker Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.00-06-023	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Gas Company regarding year six (1999-2000) under its experimental gas cost incentive mechanism and related gas supply matters, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
3/21/01 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.00-09-048	(PHC) – In the matter of the application of the Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) for authority to establish a lifeline rate for residential domestic water service in Region III, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) April 25 – 26 at 10:00 a.m.)

3/27/01 ALJ Thomas Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.00-07-001	(PHC) – Application of Sierra Pacific Power Company for approval of a proposed distribution performance-based ratemaking mechanism supported by a cost of service study, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) April 2 – 6 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.)
4/3/01 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. A.00-12-011	(PPH) – In the matter of the application of the Donner Lake Water Company (U 84-W) to issue evidence of indebtedness (Promissory Notes and Loan Agreements) in the approximate amount of \$12,000,000 and to grant security interest in its assets for capital expenditures within its Donner Lake Service Area,  Truckee Donner Public Utility District 11570 Donner Pass Road  Truckee, CA
		(also (EH) April $4-6$ ; 10:00 a.m., also at the above location)
4/6/01 ALJ Patrick Comr Wood	11:00 a.m. A.00-09-001	(PHC) – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company in the 2000 Annual Transition Cost Proceeding for the record period July 1, 1999, through June 30, 2000,
	A.00-09-014	(PHC) – Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) to review and recover Transition Cost Balancing Account entries from July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2000 and various generation-related memorandum account entries,
	A.00-10-008	(PHC) – Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) in the third annual transition cost proceeding addressing (1) the Transition Cost Balancing Account (TCBA), and (2) the reasonableness of San Diego Gas & Electric Company's energy procurement practices, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) May 14 – 18; May 21 – 25 at 10:00 a.m.)
4/11/01 ALJ Thomas Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.00-09-028	(STATUS CONFERENCE) – In the matter of the application of Verizon California, Inc. (U-1002-C) for approval to transfer intrastate advanced data service assets to Verizon Advanced Data Inc., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

4/16/01 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Lynch	10:00 a.m. I.99-06-036	(EH) – Investigation into Commonwealth Energy Corporation's operations and practices in connection with providing service as an electricity service provider under Registration No. 1092, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also April 17 – 19 at 9:30 a.m.)
4/26/01 ALJ Bennett Comr Duque	7:00 p.m. A.00-10-049	(PPH) – Application of Citizens Utilities Company of California for approval of its water system master plan update for its Montara District, Farallone View Elementary School Le Conte Avenue and Kanoff Street Montara, CA
		(also (EH) May 14 – 16 commencing at 10:00 a.m.)
4/26/01 ALJ Econome Comr Wood	9:30 a.m. I.00-11-052	(PHC) – Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations, practices, and conduct of Qwst Communications Corporation (Qwest), U-5335-C and its wholly owned subsidiary, LCI International Telecommunications Corporation, doing business as Qwest Communications Services (LCIT), U-5270-C to determine whether Qwest and LCIT have violated the laws, rules, and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one long distance carrier to another and billed for long distance telephone services,  Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) April 30 through May 11 commencing 10:00 a.m. on April 30 and May 7, and 9:00 a.m. on May 1 - 4 and May 8 – 11)
5/15/01 ALJ Prestidge Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. C.00-09-025	(EH) – Daniels Cablevision, Inc., and the California Cable Television Association vs. San Diego Gas and Electric Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also May 16 - 17)
6/6/01 ALJ Barnett Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.00-07-043 ( <b>Phase I</b> )	(EH) – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E) for authority, among other things, to increase rates and charges for electric service effective on January 1, 2001, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also June 7 – 8)

## NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting." The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

### **NONE**

### NOTICE OF ALL-PARTY MEETINGS (PU Code § 1701.3(c))

## All-Party Meeting – A.01-01-044, A.00-10-045

February 16, 2001	Copper Room (Room 228)
1:30 – 2:30 pm	San Diego Concourse (Golden Hall)
	3rd and "B" Streets
	San Diego

All parties are invited to meet with Commissioner Wood on these matters. No individual meetings will be granted. Provide an RSVP with the name of the representative who will attend the meeting, phone number, fax number, and whether he or she intends to speak to Dolores Montellano at (415) 703-2440 or e-mail at dmm@cpuc.ca.gov. RSVPs must be received NO LATER than noon on Thursday, February 15.

### NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

2/9/01 A01-01-044

San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for Authority to Implement an Electric Rate Surcharge to Manage the Balance in the Energy Rate Ceiling Revenue Shortfall Account.

Summary: LATE FILED. AUGMENTATION REQUIRED. On January 5, 2001, Kimberly Freeman, State Regulatory Relations Administrator, Sempra Energy, met with Ann Watson, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas. Also present was Barbara Caulfield, attorney for San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E). Freeman noted SDG&E's concern over the mounting undercollection in the Energy Rate Ceiling Revenue Shortfall Account. Freeman indicated that SDG&E would like to implement an interim rate surcharge of \$.023/KWh to manage the undercollection. Caulfield stated that the growing undercollection has negatively impacted transactions with energy supplies and the financial markets.

Filer: Sempra Energy

Contact: Renee Le Camus Phone: (415) 202-9986

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2/9/01 A00-04-031 Southern California Gas Company, for authority

pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 851 to sell

its storage field in Montebello

**Summary:** On February 8, 2001, Kathleen Cordova, Market Consultant, Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas), had a telephone conversation with Laura Krannawitter, advisor to Cmmr. Duque. An e-mail and a summary copy of the draft mitigation report were sent to Laura Krannawitter and are attached to the notice. Cordova discussed the delays in completion of the mitigation report and specific mitigation measures that required further discussion and clarification between the Energy Division and SoCalGas.

Filer: Southern California Gas Company

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2/9/01 A99-09-044 Calaveras Telephone Company, Cal-Ore Telephone

Company, Ducor Telephone Company, Evans

Telephone Company, Foresthill Telephone Company,

Happy Valley Telephone Company, Hornitos

Telephone Company, Kerman Telephone Company,

Pacific Bell Telephone Company, Pinnacles Telephone Company, The Ponderosa Telephone Company, Sierra Telephone Company, Inc., Siskiyou Telephone Company, Volcano Telephone Company,

for approval of settlement transition agreement and implementation of replacement funding for small local

exchange carriers

**Summary:** On February 6, 2001, Cynthia Marshall, Vice President – Regulatory, Pacific Bell Telephone Company (PacBell), met with Lester Wong, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas, and Jonathan Lakritz, advisor to Cmmr. Wood, in two separate meetings in San Francisco. Also present was Yvette Hogue, Executive Director – Regulatory Matters, for

PacBell. PacBell representatives stated that the proposed decision (PD) accurately recognized that D98-10-026 eliminated Z Factors, which were replaced with LE Factors. PacBell stated that changes in the intraLATA toll process was not one of the Z Factors issues that the Commission deemed necessary to continue. PacBell stated that the Commission must treat PacBell fairly and not pick and choose when to apply the new regulatory framework rules to PacBell. PacBell explained that that the risk of cost changes are now the risk or reward of shareholders and, therefore, the change in pooling settlements of approximately \$37.2 million need not be refunded to customers. PacBell urged the Commission to adopt the PD.

Filer: Pacific Bell Telephone Company

Contact: Lila Tam Phone: (415) 542-9268

Summary: On February 7, 2001, Cynthia Marshall, Vice President – Regulatory, Pacific Bell Telephone Company (PacBell), met with Fassil Fenikile, advisor to Cmmr. Duque, in San Francisco. Also present was Yvette Hogue, Executive Director – Regulatory Matters, for PacBell. PacBell representatives stated that the proposed decision (PD) accurately recognized that D98-10-026 eliminated Z Factors, which were replaced with LE Factors. PacBell stated that changes in the intraLATA toll process was not one of the Z Factors issues that the Commission deemed necessary to continue. PacBell stated that the Commission must treat PacBell fairly and not pick and choose when to apply the new regulatory framework rules to PacBell. PacBell explained that that the risk of cost changes are now the risk or reward of shareholders and, therefore, the change in pooling settlements of approximately \$37.2 million need not be refunded to customers. PacBell urged the Commission to adopt the PD.

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